

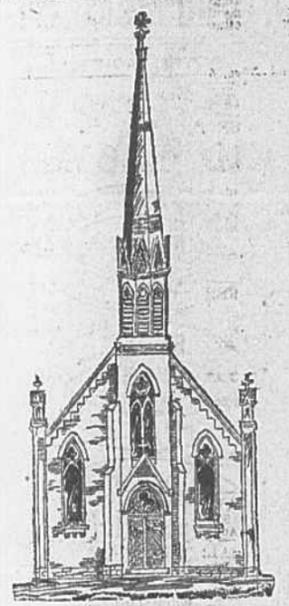
CORNER STONE LAYING

Of the Church of St. Anthony of Padua, in Bridgeport.

IT WILL BE A HANDSOME CHURCH

And a Credit to the Congregation. Bishop Watterson, of Columbus, Conducts the Ceremonies, Which are Witnessed by a Large Assembly—Brief History of the Congregation.

The corner stone of the proposed beautiful new church, to be erected in honor of St. Anthony of Padua, back of Bridgeport, was laid with appropriate ceremonies yesterday. Bishop Watterson, of Columbus, conducted the impressive ceremonies, assisted by the clergy of the neighborhood. An immense crowd was present, numbers of Wheeling people attending, notwithstanding the hot weather. The Catholic organizations of Wheeling, helped their Ohio brethren to swell out the parade, which was a feature of the day's proceedings, to a really large procession. The day was hot, but the sunshine and the beautiful weather combined made so favorable a setting to the day's proceedings, that the discomfort of the heat was gladly borne.



THE NEW CHURCH.

and the St. Alphonsus society. They marched up Market street to Fourteenth, from there to Chapline and to the headquarters of the Knights of St. George. The parade then took the bridge street route to the suspension bridge, thence across to Bridgeport. Here it was joined by the St. Anthony's congregation and other societies. From the end of the bridge to the church is about a half mile, and for this distance the procession marched over the dusty roads in the following order:

Chief Marshal J. J. Sahnor, on horseback. Marshal Ferdinand Biedenbach and Aids Bernard Bach and Jacob Yochum. Climax Band of Martin's Ferry. Knights of St. George. German Knights of St. George. St. Alphonsus Society. Division No. 1, Wheeling A. O. H. Division No. 2, Martin's Ferry A. O. H. Congregation of St. Anthony of Padua.

The site of the new church is on a beautiful level about half way up the side of the hill, and commands a splendid view of Wheeling creek and the green hills opposite. The mount was covered with people, drawn thither to view the ceremonies, which began without delay. The platform surrounding the place where the corner stone was to be laid, was so crowded with the faithful that there was but little room for the bishop and attendant clergy; but by dint of persevering efforts Father Mattingly finally got the crowd to give way. On the platform were Rt. Rev. Bishop Watterson, Very Rev. Dean Hartweg, of Steubenville, Father Fitzgerald, of Bellaire, Father Mattingly, of Martin's Ferry, Father Leo, of St. Alphonsus church, of Wheeling and Father Weigand, the pastor of the foundation congregation. Mounting the foundation of the church, Bishop Watterson preached a brief sermon on the subject of the corner stone laying. He took for his text the prayer of Solomon at the dedication of the temple at Jerusalem. He reminded his hearers that the temple of Christ, which they were about to build, was far nobler than the ark of the covenant, and that Christ's altar was much nobler in the sight of God than the temple that was dedicated to the great Jehovah. Therefore he felt that no idle curiosity and no feeling but sincere respect for religion had brought the great assemblage together.

"You are present," said the bishop, "to assist at the corner stone laying of an edifice, which, we hope, will stand for generations. The first and most beautiful chapter in the history of Ohio, and indeed of the whole country, is here renewed—the cross of Christ is again uplifted. The sons of St. Boniface and St. Patrick are here. God stands in no need of temples made with hands but we need them. In order to carry out the prescribed form of worship houses are necessary, in which to receive the sacraments and to hear the word of God. We bless to-day the corner stone of this church,

COMMITTING ITS DESTINIES TO GOD, well knowing that without the blessing of God they labor in vain who build it. A tabernacle of the Lord should be built according to the pattern shown on the Mount."

After explaining the meaning of some of the ceremonies incident to the corner stone laying the bishop continued: "To you, children of the parish of St. Anthony of Padua, to you and your pastor I say: Go on with confidence. This house is not for yourselves alone, but also for Almighty God, who is always present in the sacrifices offered and the sacraments here received.

"Be zealous for the completion, be zealous for the honor and glory of this house. Whatever you give will, if given out of the love of God, be returned to you more than a hundredfold. Remember, if you are asked to contribute, that you are honoring the Lord with your substance; remember that you are doing an act of charity to the soul and co-operating with God in that divinest of all things, the sanctification of immortal souls. For the Lord this will, I trust be a pleasing abode, and for you a home, of grace and of salvation. Do what you can for its honor and glory, and you will indeed find it a house of God and the gate of heaven for you all. Assisted by the priests Bishop Wat-

terson conducted the ceremonies of the laying of the corner stone. The foundation was first blessed and then the corner stone was laid in its bed with the usual ceremonies. Two tin boxes containing articles useful to the architect of the future, when delving among the ruins of the church, were placed within the cavity hollowed out for their reception. The boxes contained the following articles:

- Sketch of the history of the congregation. The Rev. Mr. Sahnor's Sacred Heart, Piety of our Lady of Mercy, supplementary issue of the American Ecological Review. Catholic Columbus. Wheeling Intelligencer. Wheeling Register. Wheeling Sunday Mirror. Belmont county News. St. Clairsville Gazette. Ohio Water/road. Katholische Volkszeitung. North American. West Virginia State Zeitung. March number of Hoffmann's Catholic Directory.

List of names of officers and members of the societies of the church. The names of the various committees of the congregation. The names of the bishop and clergymen assisting at the corner stone laying. Eleventh census of Ohio. Ohio federal, state and county officers. New congressional districts. Apportionment of members of the general assembly of Ohio, 1891-1901. General and local acts of the Seventeenth general assembly. Senate and house of the Tenth general assembly of Ohio. Ohio state library catalogue. Governor McKinley's inaugural address. Ohio election statistics. Journal of the board of equalization. Ohio statistics.

THE NEW CHURCH. The new church will be a very handsome edifice, and will seat four hundred people. The plans were drawn by Architect A. Drauding, of Chicago. The dimensions are 43 by 55 feet, the height from the floor to the ceiling thirty-one feet, and the height of the tower 110 feet. The church will be built of brick, with stone trimmings, in the Gothic style. The stone for the foundations was donated by Reynolds Bros., of Freeport, Ohio, and the stone work was done by Frank Hass, a member of the congregation. Henry Burrows, of Bellaire, has the contract to finish the church.

BELLAIRE

All Sorts of Local News and Gossip from the Glass City.

The Republican primaries here Saturday evening resulted in the selection of the following delegates to the county convention to be held at St. Clairsville to-morrow. First ward, William Kilgore and Thomas Clegg; Second, Alex. Anderson and Jacob Kapner; Third, Thomas M. Keyser and Dr. D. W. Boone; Fourth, W. C. Bergundthal, Henry F. Bahra and W. F. Litten; Fifth, P. C. Criswell, John D. Vanhau and A. H. Gallagher; Township, A. A. Wise and Martin Corvin; West Wheeling, Alex. Lysia. Total 15 Thirteen are for W. J. Kirkpatrick for recorder and two for C. H. Blakeney. The Republican city committee elected is as follows: Donald McDonald, John Hoffman, Dr. H. C. Kemple, W. H. Thompson, Henry F. Bahra and P. O. Criswell.

The Belmont County Medical Society will meet at the Windsor hotel to-morrow forenoon and the session will last all day. The programme includes some very interesting topics. This society found these monthly meetings so profitable to the fraternity that at the last meeting it was decided to devote one full day of each month to the friendly discussion of matters pertaining to the profession.

A flower service was held at the First Presbyterian church yesterday in which the congregation and Sabbath school joined, and Rev. L. W. Barr preached an appropriate sermon, using the rose bush as an illustration of the tree of life whose flowers are plucked at all stages, from the bursting bud to the decaying fall blown flower. The pulpit was nicely decorated and the house well filled.

Miss E. B. Wallace, principal of Knoxville College, Tenn., and Mrs. Scott, a teacher under the Freedman's Board in Alabama, delivered addresses in the United Presbyterian church, yesterday evening, the one telling what the U. P. church is doing for the Freedmen and the other what the Freedmen's Board is doing in the southern states.

The city board of education will meet this evening to confirm or reject the list of teachers for the ensuing year. The committee and Superintendent Jones have been at work a week on the list and their report will, of course, be approved, as one-half the members of the board are on the committee to select teachers and fix salaries.

Col. C. L. Poorman will open his campaign at St. Clairsville to-morrow as chairman of the county convention. He was selected some time since for that place by Hon. C. L. Weems, chairman of the county committee, and has given such attention to the matter that it will be the keynote of the congressional canvass.

J. E. Lewis, an engineer on the C. & P. Railroad, who has invented several appliances that are being handled by the Westinghouse, people, has made an engagement with the Westinghouse Air Brake Co., and will go to China in July to introduce the air brake and other patents used in the operation of trains.

The county commissioners have authorized a levy for county purposes this year of 46 cents on each \$100 valuation. This is seven cents lower than last year but the state levy is increased three cents and the Pulney township Pike Levy is 15 cents on the \$100, an increase of three cents over last year, so that the tax rate in this city will be the same. Miss Rose Sonnborn, a music teacher well known here and in Wheeling, will be married the latter part of this month to a gentleman in Pueblo, Col., where Miss Rose has been for several months for her health. Representatives of all the coal miners in this vicinity met here and decided to have the law with reference to keeping the mines in good condition, free from foul air, etc., more rigidly enforced. Charles Earp, of Benwood, has purchased property just south of town and will start a henery there at once. He sold his Benwood property for \$1,500 and will live on this side. Prof. D. W. Shields, who has been looking after business interests here, returned to New Martinsville Saturday. Miss Mammie Randolph, an interesting and handsome young lady, formerly of

this city but now of Denver, Col., will be married there on the 21st to William Haefler, of that city.

The advance guard will be here today billing the O. W. I. Club outing which is to be given at Wheeling park one week from next Wednesday.

The wife of H. E. Wells, of Colerain, who has been suffering with cancer of the breast, had it cut out and is now improving.

The cemetery trustees let the contract to build a house for the sexton to W. J. Garrison, at \$375.

Miss Nannie Kurtz is visiting friends at Little Washington, Pa., where she attended school.

Mrs. Nettie Kirk, of Paris, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Spot Green, in this city.

MARTIN'S FERRY.

Accidents and Incidents in that Thriving City—Personal and Industrial.

At the Republican primaries on Saturday delegates were elected to the county convention, which meets at St. Clairsville to-morrow, as follows: First ward, Nathan Vate, John Fisher, James Runyon; alternates, Fred Dixon, Peter Neal, Fred Stuckland; committeeman, Samuel Westwood. Second ward, R. Fallender, Samuel Thompson, William Bowman; alternates, John Goodhue, Thos. Curtiss and David Coss; committeeman, W. R. Bowman. Third ward, Dr. Watson, R. C. Montgomery and R. A. Lindemuth; alternates, William Lynch, A. W. Harris and John A. Moore; committeeman, Madison Alredge.

The district conference of the M. E. church will meet here this evening in the First church, at which time a sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Huskell, of Hamlin chapel, Steubenville. Conference will convene at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning for business.

The dry goods and furnishing stores now close every evening at 7 o'clock except Saturday, and the grocery stores every evening except Friday and Saturday.

Old papers for sale at the postoffice news stand. They are just the thing for putting in cupboards, putting under carpets, wrapping purposes, etc.

To-night Belmont City Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 221, will hold memorial services commemorative of the death of brothers during the past year.

Rev. H. N. Campbell returned on Saturday and occupied his pulpit in the Presbyterian church yesterday morning and evening.

William Dixon has returned from Columbus, where he graduated from the law department of the Ohio State university.

Mrs. Isaac Burt, living on Hanover street, fell out of a hammock on Saturday evening, spraining her arm quite severely.

Mr. Matthew Beazle and Miss Belle Beazle, of Bellaire, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McMasters yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hilton, of Walnut street, are entertaining Mrs. John Fayer and Miss Celia Dern, of Cambridge.

The Belmont Brewing Company is giving away a combination dinner bucket, called the "Belmont Growler."

Mrs. A. Ralston and son, George, have returned from Flushing, where they attended the funeral of a relative.

The preliminary examination of Stephen Morris for shooting Ed Williams some time ago, is set for to-day.

Over one hundred and fifty Martin's Ferry people took in the excursion to Rock Point on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hilton, of Walnut street, are entertaining Miss Celia Doran, of Cambridge.

On Saturday the old Lafayette Rink was sold by auctioneer T. H. Stanton to James McCleary.

Children's Day exercises were held in the M. E. church yesterday and were largely attended.

The Martin's Ferry Mennrechor picnicked at Philip Snyder's, back of the city yesterday.

Miss Celia Dering, of Cambridge, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hilton, on Walnut street.

Simpson Garrett leaves for Bellaire, Pa., to-day to work in the Neville Glass Works.

Mrs. W. H. Rogers, of Ironton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers on North street.

Wilbur Applegarth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Applegarth, died yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Martin, of Moundsville, spent Sunday in Martin's Ferry.

Edward Stanton, of Pittsburgh, was here yesterday among friends and relatives.

Miss Carrie Beazle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Major Joy, at McKeesport, Pa.

Mr. Charles Williams and Mr. Ernest Hoge spent Sunday at Mt. Pleasant.

The large shears at the Aina mill were broken on Saturday.

Joseph McHenry is the new labor boss at the Aina mill.

Two disorderlies and one drunk were run in Saturday night.

NOTES ON NAVIGATION.

Stage of Water and Movements of Boats. The River Intarrest.

The river was falling yesterday, with 14 feet in the channel. The reports from above were:

Warren—5 feet; clear and warm. Brownsville—5 feet 3 inches and falling; clear; thermometer 80° at 4 p. m. Morgantown—5 feet 4 inches and stationary; clear; thermometer—80° at 4 p. m.

The steamers Keystone State and the Lizzie Bay got away for Pittsburgh yesterday.—The Congo passed down for Cincinnati at 8 a. m.

The Andes and the Batchelor will leave for Pittsburgh at 8 a. m. to-day.—The Ben Hur will depart for Parkersburg at 11:30 a. m.

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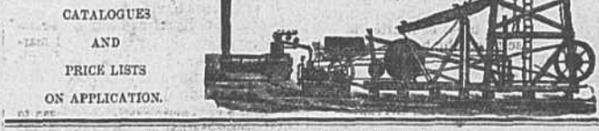
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